

February 7, 1920.

Memorandum for Mr. Christoffers:

Out of the list of fishery operators in Alaska in 1919, which was sent to you on January 19, the following have reported or are otherwise accounted for:

Alaska Commercial Co.
Alaska Fish & Cold Storage Co.
Alaska Salmon & Herring Packers, Inc.
Columbia & Northern Fishing & Packing Co.
Regnor Dahl & Son.
Doyhof Fish Products Co.
Glacier Fish Co.
A. C. Goss.
Lisianski Packing Co.
Mark Morris.
O. K. Fish Products Co.

Thus 11 out of 39 composing that list are disposed of. In addition to those remaining, there are several canning companies which have not made reports. They are as follows:

Alaska Herring & Sardine Co.,	2702 L. C. Smith Bldg.,	Seattle.
Alaska Pacific Herring Co.	546 Central Building,	"
Baranof Packing Co.,	1316 L. C. Smith Building,	"
Columbia Salmon Co.,	1421 L. C. Smith Building,	"
North Pacific Coast Co.,	Colman Building,	"
Vendeyssel Packing Co.,	705 Leary Building,	"
Pure Food Fish Co.,		Ketchikan, Alaska.
Sitka Packing Co.,		Sitka, Alaska.
Van Vlack & Co.,		Olympia, Wash.
Ward's Cove Packing Co.,		Ketchikan, Alaska.
Hillery-Scott Co.,		Cordeva, Alaska.
Columbia River Packers Association,		Astoria, Oregon.

There are inclosed herewith for your information copy of letters from the Bureau to the Columbia River Packers Association, Franklin Packing Co., San Juan Fish & Packing Co., and the Phoenix Packing Co., and copy of replies to each. Three of these companies asked for an extension of time for the preparation of statistical reports, while the other raised a question of procedure where the operations of three companies were consolidated.

In the case of the consolidated canneries of Herendeen Bay which are owned by the Everett Packing Co., Fidalgo Island Packing Co., and Phoenix Packing Co., the Bureau advised the latter in response to its inquiry that it would not be necessary for each of the respective companies to make a report of operations. For statistical purposes, these companies should make separate reports showing the value of the cannery belong to each one and any other items which will not be covered by the joint report. In so far as operations in 1919 are concerned, one report showing in detail the information regularly submitted by packers in Alaska will be sufficient. Take this matter up with these companies to the end that their reports may be forthcoming soon.

The Franklin Packing Co. requested more time for the preparation of its report on the ground that operations were continued late in the year and that its books could not be closed before the middle of January. Inquire if it has not already submitted this report how much more time will be necessary to put its books in shape to enable it to furnish the statistical information regarding its operations in Alaska.

In respect to the companies having home offices in Alaska, you can communicate with them by telegraph.

Notify all companies listed herewith that their reports are desired at an early date.

Agent.